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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of
Kazuo ISHII, et al.

Docket No: Q62336

Appln. No.: 09/741,071

Group Art Unit: 2853

Confirmation No.: 7426

Examiner: Michael S. Brooke

Filed: December 21, 2000

For: INK JET PRINTING METHOD AND PRINTING APPARATUS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of two month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of December 18, 2002 to May 19, 2003 (May 18, 2003 being a Sunday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$410.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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